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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**SHERIDAN, INDIANA MAN SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS
FOR PRODUCTION OF CHILD PORNOGRAPHY**

PRESS RELEASE

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, and Andrew G. Oosterbaan, Chief of the Child Exploitation and Obscenity Section of the U.S. Department of Justice, Criminal Division, announced that JEFFERY GLEN DIXON, 44, of Sheridan, Indiana, was sentenced to 180 months imprisonment today by U.S. District Judge John Daniel Tinder, following his guilty plea to production of child pornography. This case was the result of a joint investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Fishers Police Department, the Hamilton County Sheriff's Department, and the Hamilton County Prosecutor's Office. The forensic examination of the computer evidence was conducted by the Fishers Police Department and the Department of Justice High Tech Investigative Unit.

DIXON sexually abused a female relative under the age of 16, photographed the sexual abuse, and offered, through an online conversation, an opportunity for another person to sexually abuse the victim in exchange for \$100.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Steven D. DeBrotta and Trial Attorney Michael Yoon of the U.S. Department of Justice, Judge Tinder also imposed lifetime supervised release following DIXON's release from imprisonment. DIXON was also ordered to make restitution in the amount of \$9,300.

DIXON also pled guilty in Hamilton County Superior Court to one count of Child Molesting, a "A" felony, on July 27, 2006. Sentencing on that charge is set for August 24, 2006. DIXON is currently in federal custody.

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